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Herbert W. Wolff Dies at Summer Home, Grayling

PASSED AWAY AT LAKE MARGRETHE HOME SATURDAY EVENING.

WAS SENIOR VICE PRES. AMERICAN CAR & FOUNDRY CO.

The passing away of Herbert W. Wolff at the family summer home at Lake Margrethe Saturday evening was hardly unexpected. He had been ill for more than a year and in the last few weeks his condition had become critical.

The death of Herbert W. Wolff occurred Saturday evening. The following interesting account is taken from the Sunday edition of the Bay City Times:

Herbert W. Wolff, senior vice-president of American Car and Foundry Corp. of New York, died early Saturday evening at his summer home in Lake Margrethe, near here. He was 65 years old.

Death came after a protracted



HERBERT W. WOLFF

illness at the beautiful country manor where he had summered for the past 25 years.

Born in Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 27, 1863, of German and Scotch-English ancestry, he came to the United States when a boy and was educated in the Detroit public schools.

Began Career in Detroit

He began his business career in the shops of the Michigan Car Co. at Detroit, and rose in the span of a half century to the vice-presidency of the mammoth American Car and Foundry Corp. On Sept. 11, 1936, he was honored by railroad and business men of New York on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of his affiliation in the railroad car business.

Mr. Wolff remained with the Michigan Car Co. until some time after its consolidation with the Peninsular Car Co. of Detroit.

When the American Car and Foundry Corp. was organized in 1889 he joined the firm as chief mechanical engineer and took charge of its shops in St. Louis.

Thirteen years later he was appointed assistant to the vice-presidency of the firm and in 1916 was named a vice-president in charge of sales for the Chicago division. At that time he moved his residence from St. Louis to Chicago.

In 1925 following his election to the directorate of the corporation he transferred to New York City where he had resided since.

At the same time he was named executive head of the corporation's sales division.

Aided During War

During the World War Mr. Wolff played an important role in aiding and coordinating the work of the federal railways administration and the military railways division of the War department.

A sportsman of wide fame, he was one of the most interested devotees of fishing in Michigan and held a life membership in the Isaac Walton league and the Rube Babbitt chapter of Grayling.

He married Kata Sargent, of West Branch, on December 27, 1898 and they have two children, Herbert Sargent Wolff, of South Bend, Ind., and Mrs. Marjorie Helen Kittleman, of Chicago. Also surviving are three grandchildren.

The family residence is at 327 Park avenue, New York city.

Prominent Churchman

A lifelong Presbyterian, Mr. Wolff always was an active communicant. While in Chicago he was affiliated with the Fourth

Presbyterian church. In New York he was a member of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian, and is serving as trustee since 1934 and as an elder since May of last year.

Fraternally he was a Mason, being a member of Tuscon Lodge 360, F. and A. M., of St. Louis, and the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite bodies of New York city.

His club affiliation was wide. He was a member of the Bankers club of New York, the Metropolitan club of New York, the Railroad Machinery club, New York Railroad club, Chicago club and the Commonwealth club of Chicago, and the Congressional Country club of Washington, D. C.

His service as a director of American Car and Foundry was also extended to its many subsidiaries in addition to membership on directorates of the Welding Co., Brill Corp., Carburetor Corp., the American Manufacturers of Chilled Car Wheels. He was also vice-president of the American Railway Car Institute.

Funeral Wednesday

Early in the forenoon Wednesday a special train arrived with scores of officials and industrial men and women from New York City, Chicago, and St. Louis. The funeral services were held in the family home at the lake.

The casket rested amidst a bower of floral wreaths and designs. And through the entire house there were flowers until one wondered where another piece could be placed. Over 200 floral pieces were received, each carrying with it its message of love and sympathy. A blanket of pine and cedar boughs, studded with ribbons covered the casket, the boughs coming from their farm that he loved so much, and were symbolic of his love for nature and the beautiful.

The Rev. John Timothy Stone, Presbyterian pastor of Chicago, officiated. He was assisted by the Rev. H. W. Kuhlman, pastor of Michelson Memorial Church of Grayling.

Dr. Stone gave an impressive sermon. He said, "At this time he is a member of his own church in Chicago. In his address he applied the principles of "courage, integrity, home, friendship and faith" as practiced in life by Mr. Wolff."

Interment was at West Branch, in a grave on a mound overlooking a valley below the remains now peacefully rest. The impressive Masonic burial rites were observed at the grave, conducted by the members of West Branch lodge.

Active Pallbearers

Dr. Claude Keyport, Dr. Clarence Clipper, Mr. Eben Hanson, Mr. Oscar Harson, Mr. Wilhelm Raabe, Mr. Olaf Michelson, Mr. A. J. Joseph, Mr. O. P. Schumann.

Honorary Pallbearers

Mr. Charles J. Hardy, President, American Car & Foundry Co., New York City.

Mr. William C. Dickerman, President, American Locomotive Co., New York City.

Mr. W. E. Hedgcock, Vice President, American Car & Foundry Co., New York City.

Mr. W. Lyle Richeson, Manager of Sales, American Car & Foundry Co., New York City.

Mr. Victor R. Willoughby, Vice President, American Car & Foundry Co., New York City.

Mr. F. F. Rose, Assistant Vice President, American Car & Foundry Co., New York City.

Mr. M. C. Shands, Assistant Vice President, American Car & Foundry Co., New York City.

Mr. Martin J. Alger, Vice President, New York Central Railroad, New York City.

Mr. D. R. Arnold, Vice President, Standard Railway Equipment Co., New York City.

Mr. H. E. Graham, Assistant to President, Jones & McLaughlin Steel Corp., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. J. M. Kellor, Manager of Foundries, American Car & Foundry Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. Holger Hanson, Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Mr. David A. Crawford, President, Pullman Co., Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Charles A. Liddle, President, Pullman-Standard Car Mfg. Corp., Chicago, Ill.

Mr. George E. VanHagen, President, Standard Forgings Co., Warren, Ohio.

Gas Station Rounds Out 15th Year

ALFRED HANSON HAS MADE NOTABLE BUSINESS SUCCESS.

Today Alfred Hanson is celebrating the fifteenth anniversary of his entry into business at Grayling. His business has shown rapid progress each year since its existence until now it is rated as Northeastern Michigan's most

complete one-stop service station.

Alfred Hanson has taken an equipment so that year attende

the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company Vulcanizing school at Akron, later moving to Akron. That year he built his first garage and service station on US-27. The garage was 25 x 40, the service station was the size of the present shop.

On Aug. 1, 1926, Mr. Hanson opened his first gas station and added a service station to his garage. The service station was a simple gas station.

About two thousand appliances

and fixtures have been tested and

some three hundred found noise

reduced. The chief offenders

in numbers at first were vacuum

cleaners of which over 150 were

Radio Noises Greatly Decreased

Nearly three weeks of intensive

work on interfering devices has

made a wonderful improvement

in reception, although summer

time has been very bad for re-

ception, according to Mr. Hanson.

About 1500 radio sets have been

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PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands. One Nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

HERBERT W. WOLFF

The people of Grayling know Herbert W. Wolff in, perhaps, a different way from those of his business associates—an executive of one of America's great industrial institutions, his business contacts were with men of other large businesses. His keen business instincts carried him from office boy to the most responsible position to be had with the American Car & Foundry Co. As the senior vice president, this Company has grown and prospered under his management. His genius and ability are recognized by other great leaders of America and of foreign lands.

Here in Grayling we knew him as a neighbor—as one of us, taking part in our community affairs and with many personal friendships and companionships. His life among us was one of friendly dignity. He was always a gentleman and always holding in friendly esteem those with whom he came into contact. His friends meant much to him, just as he did to those who knew him best.

For about a quarter of a century Mr. and Mrs. Wolff and son Herbert and daughter Marjorie resided with us during the summer seasons. Mr. Wolff passed away Saturday evening, amidst the surroundings that he knew and loved so well—the north country, nature, Gr. Ling, the streams, the lakes, the wild woods, invigorating climate, the hunting, fishing, golfing and—good friendships. He loved it here and each season looked forward more and more to getting here.

No blanket of roses covered his bier. Instead there was a profusion of boughs of pines, balsams, birches, studded with orchids, typifying his love for nature and the esthetic—just as he himself would have wanted it. All these came from the Wolff Farm on the AuSable where he and his family went often and spent many happy hours.

Everyone from men of big affairs to office boys, loved Mr. Wolff and the vacant chair in his office in New York City will be a reminder to them of the many strenuous but happy hours he spent there. And those ever cheerful smiles that he had for everyone while he was among us in Grayling will remain with us cherished memories.

FIFTEEN YEARS IN BUSINESS

The people of Grayling have learned to hold Alfred Hanson in high esteem. He not only is conducting a high type one-stop automobile service station and sales agency in Grayling, but also he has proven himself one of our most substantial business men. He has been keen in business and built up a splendid industry, but he has always had time to do those other things for his community that have meant much toward our city progress.

In his plant nine married men are employed, each receiving substantial wages, while working in pleasant surroundings. This is a happy and contented family of employees, all loyal and pulling together for their employer, who in turn was faithful to those under his employ. It's a grand combination that could only exist under such ownership.

We know Mr. Hanson's friends will join us in wishing him many more years of business success and splendid citizenship. A front page article gives a brief account of his years in business.

THE Michigan Taxpayer believes that the present revenues of Michigan's cities and towns, and of the state, are more than sufficient to care adequately for all the legitimate needs of these governments provided that these revenues are efficiently collected and that all expenditures are scrupulously examined for value received.

NEWS BRIEFS

On July 20 George Coveney of Toledo was arrested by the State police for reckless driving and was fined \$25 and court costs of \$55 by Justice Harry Pepe sen.

The Grayling Industrial con-
gregation and the Sunday Scho-
ol served their annual picnic at
Hedges Lake State Park Wed-
nesday evening. The picnic was
spending the day. There
swimming and games were in-
cluded for the children and a
lunch and a potluck dinner was served.

Little Sandy class is celebrating
its eighth year at school this
year and this year the class
is filled with 100% of the original
members. A program of
outdoor games has been planned
by Sandy's mother, Mrs. Schumacher,
class and the class faculty rec-
ognizes the work done by Mrs.
Sandy.

Mrs. Celia Grange is accompa-
nied by Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Schumacher, where
the former went on with others
to attend the vacation trip
Wisconsin. Mrs. and Mrs. Russell
Schoen are serving their return
and attending a family re-
union at Chene Lake near Jackson. They returned to the New
May.

Please notice all members of
the Grange have not taken
the 8th and tenth degrees, please
come and take them Saturday
August 31. Mr. and Mrs.
DelMattei of Grayling expect
to be here for that meeting. A
good all nation's Grangers are
invited to this meeting.

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**Washington
MERRY-GO-ROUND**
by DREW PEARSON
& ROBERT AYLEN

Washington, D. C.
ROOSEVELT KEPT HIS
POWER FACE

CHICAGO—There was only one
other person present when the Pres-
ident made the final speech at the
event of his meeting him for a
final time.

The visitor was Mrs. Hatie Caraway.
A widow, mother of a mother
U. S. senator, she visited his White
House office in conference just
as Mayor F. J. Kelly was starting his
lecture for the day. In this, Kelly
declared that when Roosevelt did
not want to do it, that he should
be drafted a young.

The President was getting the
speech from a small portable radio
on his desk. As Mrs. Caraway entered
she greeted him with a smile
and the two sat down and dined.

From time to time, the grave
statesman, when Roosevelt declared that
he would not be drafted, "I have
no objection to it," the press
asked him, "What is it?"

Then Roosevelt turned to Mrs.
Caraway and said, "I have
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That was the last Mrs. Caraway
said about the convention and the President
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WHITE HOUSE PIPE-LINE

From the incident Harry Hopkins
ended here last week and that open
air was set up between his side
sofa to the one on the left and the
White House. The President has
been in the office of everything
that has happened. From

carrying mail late at night to
the visitors, who are from
the White House.

The visitors increased their
in the eighth on errors by
"Short" Anthony, Deckrow, and
Pat Kolka, and single and a
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Mackinaw City—10

AB R H PO A
R. Sommers, c 4 1 0 17 0
Martin, 2b 4 1 1 2 1
C. Parker, ss 4 2 3 1 3
Parker, 1b 5 1 0 6 0
Walter, rf 5 1 1 0 0
McLean, cf 5 1 1 1 0
Nelligan, 3b 4 2 3 1 0
A. S. Sommers, lf 4 0 0 0 0
Grondin, p 4 1 1 0 1
Totals 39 10 10 27 6

Grayling—4

AB R H PO A
G. Hanson, 1b 5 0 0 11 0
Deckrow, c 4 1 1 5 2
Chalker, ss 4 2 1 1 3
Bowen, cf 4 1 2 3 0
Coutts, rf-3b 4 0 2 1 1
Smith, 3b 2 0 0 2 1
R. Anthony, 3b-1b 0 0 0 0 0
Kolka, if 1 0 0 0 0
G. Hanson, 2b 3 0 0 1 6
C. Anthony, 2b 1 0 0 0 1
Harrison, lf 2 0 0 1 0
Akers, rf 1 0 0 0 0
Kellogg, p 4 0 0 2 1
Totals 35 4 6 27 15

Errors: Kolka, Bowen, Chalker,
R. Anthony, Deckrow, Paquet, 2,
N. Ligan, R. Sommers.

Runs batted in: C. Parker, 2,
Walter, 2, Coutts, 2, Bowen, Mc-
Lean, Grondin, Nelligan.

Two-base hits: Bowen, Wallin,
Grondin.

Stolen bases: Paquet, Nelligan,
C. Parker, R. Sommers, Harrison,
Doubt plays: Chalker to Gothen-
ro; C. Parker to Martin to Paquet.
Left on bases: Mackinaw City,
5; Grayling, 8.

Base on balls: Off Kellogg 3;
Grondin 2.

Strike-outs: By Kellogg 6;
Grondin, 17.

Hits off: Kellogg 10 for 10 runs
in 9 innnings; Grondin 6 for 4 runs
in 9 innnings.

Hit by pitcher, by: Grondin,
(Harrison, Chalker).

Wild pitches: Kellogg.

Wining pitcher: Grondin; Los-
ing pitcher: Kellogg.

Umpires: Martin (M. C.); Wal-
lin (M. C.).

Scorer: Pond.

Time 2:10.

**Grayling Plays At
Mackinac Isle, Sunday**

**LOSES TO MACKINAW
CITY, 10 TO 4**

Sunday the Grayling Merchants journey to Mackinac Island to cross bats with the Islanders. The Grayling team has lost two games to the Islanders in previous years losing a 13-inning battle in 1938 and last year Grayling was held to one hit by Smith, Island pitcher and former minor league pitcher.

Last Sunday at the home field in Mackinaw City Indians made two straight victories over the local team in a Northern Michigan League game, 10-4. Mackinaw City started on three singles, a base on balls and an error by center-fielder Keith Bowen in the opening inning but Grayling came back to tie the count in their half. After Ken Godtho struck out John Deckrow reached first on an error by the first baseman, and Edwin Chalker was hit by a pitched ball. Keith Bowen doubled down the left field line scoring Deckrow, and Dewey Coutts singled over second to drive home Chalker and Bow-
en. Lewis Smith walked but George Hanson struck out and Rudy Harrison grounded to short to end the inning.

Mackinaw City broke the tie in the second inning when the first man up singled, stole second, and scored on Pitcher Grondin's double. They added another run to their lead in the third on a walk, a stolen base, an infield putout, and a fly ball to deep center field. Grayling threatened to tally in the third inning when Bowen led off with a single and Coutts beat out a bunt but Smith grounded into a double play and G. Hanson struck out.

The visitors increased their lead in the eighth on errors by "Short" Anthony, Deckrow, and Pat Kolka, and single and a double for four runs. In the last of the eighth Chalker singled to center field and Bowen was safe on an error by the third baseman Chalker scored Grayling's last run when Catcher Sommers threw into center field trying to pick him off second. Pitcher "Chief" Grondin then struck out Coutts, Kolka, and Clayton Anthony, batting for G. Hanson, to retire the side. The visitors scor-
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(\$2.00 per gal in 5 gal lots)
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News Briefs

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1940

Ronnow Hanson attended a convention of Registers of Deeds at Mackinac Island the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Schoonover and daughter Pauline attended a reunion of the Goodall family in Lapeer, Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Libeke and children of Lansing are spending some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Burnham and daughter Maxine of Lansing were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson at their cottage over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Rosenthal of Breckenridge, Mich., were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Joe M. Hill and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dauer and son, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McNeil of Bay City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wheeler over the week end.

Misses Margrethe Jensen and Dorothy Baum of Kenosha, Wis., visited Miss Geraldine Dean Tuesday, enroute on a trip through Michigan.

Miss Geraldine Daniels of Bay City is spending this week visiting her mother Mrs. Louis Herbig. She had as her guest over the week end Miss Margaret Hemlin of Bay City.

The Consumers Power Co. is now serving electricity in Beaver Creek township. Some 25 families there are now enjoying the comfort of this modern commodity. They are to be congratulated on this fine progressive movement.

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ON ROCK BOTTOM

is over

The building market—materials and labor—is extremely sensitive. The slightest increased demand is instantly reflected in increased prices for both commodities.

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Mrs. Amos Hunter and son Rex were in Traverse City Monday on business.

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Glenn Penrod, Roy Trudgton and Reggie Sheehy were in Bay City on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bromell have been visiting in Gladwin for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hamilton (Norma Pray), and son Bill, of Brownsville, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lydell Saturday and Sunday.

Marie Chagnon and Mary Heard of Detroit were guests of Ruth Strope Marlatt at the Strope cottage at Lake Margrethe over the week end.

Fred Bromwell of Traverse City is vacationing at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bromell, at Camp Arrowhead, on the Manistee river.

Mrs. Rosa Joseph of Milwaukee, Wis., is in Grayling for several days looking after her business interests, and calling on old neighbors and friends.

Crowds seeking relief from hot weather at Michigan state park beaches have filled the parks "full to overflowing" on weekends, superintendents report.

Mrs. Walter Woodson and daughter Grace Matilda of Salisbury, N. C., arrived Saturday to spend the remainder of the summer visiting her mother Mrs. Henry Bauman and sister Miss Margrethe Bauman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Horan and daughter Dianne, Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle and son Thurston, and Miss Ruth King, all of Bay City, spent the week end at the Elmer Haire cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Lipman Landsberg of Inkster visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Montour, Tuesday. She was accompanied by Miss Bonita DeLaMater who visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben DeLaMater.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers and Mrs. W. J. Herie drove to Traverse City Monday and accompanied home Patsy Hope Herie, who had spent the week at Camp Greilich near there. Barbara Borchers remained for another week.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Holbrook of Portland, Ore., have been vacationing in Michigan the past month and visited in Grayling last week. Mrs. Holbrook will be remembered as Marie Anderson and her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson of Portland, formerly of Grayling. Doctor Holbrook is a dentist in Oregon. Mrs. Holbrook reports that her parents and sisters Hilda and Elvira and brother Carl, who all reside in the west, are fine.

Within another week Michigan National Guard will be opening camp at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. The first contingent to go from Michigan will be our own Camp Grayling crew, under command of Capt. John Erkes, who will manage the camp supplies.

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Jonas Carlson, age 67 years old, father of Edwin Carlson, and a son home in Gerrish township, Roscommon county Friday evening. Mr. Carlson had worked all day at his job and coming home at the close of the day passed away suddenly. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Baptist church in Gerrish. Rev. A. D. Teller of Clare, Mich., officiating at the service. Mr. Carlson is survived by eight children. Edwin of Grayling, Mrs. Lloyd Greene of Norfolk, Va.; William of Beaumont, Texas; Miss Ann of West Branch and Carl, Walter, Elmer and Bertha of Roscommon. Mrs. Carlson preceded her husband in death seven years ago.

Mrs. Alex LaGrow received the sad word Tuesday of the sudden passing at noon of her mother, Mrs. Mary Gerard, at Tecumseh, Ontario. Mrs. Gerard, had she lived until September, would have been 92 years old. Mrs. LaGrow had made it a point to visit her mother at least once a year, and she always found her in perfect health and enjoying life to its fullest. Mrs. Gerard was the oldest of four generations of her family and there are many grandchildren and great grandchildren among the survivors.

Besides Mrs. LaGrow there are three other daughters, Mrs. Grace Malloux of Tecumseh, with whom she made her home; Mrs. Mabel Monforton of Windsor, Ont., and Mrs. Adeline Kiley of Standish.

Dick Reynolds of Midland is Mrs. Willard Harwood visited her son Bob in West Branch Friday.

Mrs. Hansine Harson was hostess to the Danish Ladies Aid Society at Danebod Hall Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Callahan have moved to Pinconning where the former is operating a Blue Sulfur gas station.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Johnson of Saginaw spent the week end visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson and family of Saginaw spent the week end at their cottage on the Danish landing, Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams and two children of Mackinaw City spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lydell.

Mrs. John Leskey and daughter Elaine of Bay City arrived Wednesday to spend a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sherman.

Emily Giegling returned Sunday from Hale, Mich., where she had visited for a week after leaving Camp Maqua, where she had spent a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacAvision of Marquette spent the week end in Grayling visiting Mrs. Rasmussen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gierke.

Miss Dorothy Warner and Frankie Warner returned to their home at Black River after spending two weeks with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayotte.

All those wishing to visit the Michigan State Hospital at Traverse City August 7th, with the Crawford County Health Unit, call Mrs. Eugene Papendick for particulars.

Mr. and Mrs. James Case of Bay City are enjoying a week's vacation visiting the former's brother Milo Case and family.

Betty Parsons and Jane Ann Martin are spending this week visiting the former's grandmother Mrs. Dora Parsons in Rogers City.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jorgenson and son Einer returned home the first of the week after visiting her daughter Mrs. Chas. DuVall in Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pobur returned to their home in Detroit after vacationing at their cottage at the Danish landing for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith and daughter, Ann and Mr. and Mrs. William Good of Fort Wayne, Ind., were guests of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Schumann over the week end. Mr. Smith and daughter remained for an extended visit.

Mrs. Stanley B. Jarrett and son Jackie of Mt. Morris, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker and son Bobby visited Tuesday at the Frank Ingerson home. They are enjoying a week's vacation and motor trip through Northern Michigan.

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Mrs. Frank Ingerson and Mrs. Nora Weber spent Wednesday in Petoskey on business.

Mrs. Thelma Allen spent the week end visiting her son Laurance Sullivan in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Renier of Detroit are enjoying a vacation at the Danish landing.

Miss Ruth Ann DeFran is making an indefinite visit with her mother, Mrs. Agnes DeFran.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Cohen of Detroit spent the week end at the Walz cottage at Lake Margrethe.

A son tipping the scales to 9 pounds, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Cook, Monday, July 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis and son Bob of West Branch were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Flower, Sunday.

Laurence Sullivan Sr. of Detroit, came to visit his son Laurence Sullivan Jr. Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Haumesser of Toledo spent a few days the first of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kerosky.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sweeney are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, July 24, at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Babbitt of Chicago, are enjoying a week's vacation visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Reuben Babbitt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Corwin, left today (Thursday) for a few days trip in the Upper Peninsula planning to visit the Soo and other points of interest.

Mrs. Norman Butler returned home Tuesday after spending the week end visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Luder in Caro. Mr. and Mrs. Butler celebrated their first wedding anniversary Friday.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson spent Friday visiting Miss Irene Thayer at Clear Lake, near West Branch. Miss Virginia Peterson accompanied her and spent the day visiting Miss Dorothy Miller in West Branch.

Raymond Sump of Lansing was arrested Wednesday on Lake Margrethe for fishing without a license. He was tried before Justice Hans Petersen this morning (Thursday) and asked to pay the court cost which amounted to \$6.85.

Mrs. Harvey Wheeler and daughter Eva, Mary Ann and Bina of Pontiac are spending the week here at one of the Nielsen cottages at Lake Margrethe, and are also calling on old friends. Mr. Wheeler and his daughter Mrs. Woodrow Mouat (Norma) and two children of Pontiac were here over the week end.

Oscar Grant Parsley, age 79, passed away at Mercy Hospital at 10:30 Tuesday night following a short illness. Mr. Parsley is well known in Roscommon and Grayling as for the past 30 years he had been coming each summer to his cottage at Lyon Manor, Higgins Lake. Mr. Parsley was a retired railroad man of St. Louis, Mo., and the remains were taken to that city for funeral services.

We have had a lot of compliments on our new office front. Small windows about 11 x 11 inches in size replace the six large windows, and a new door of similar design replaces the old double doors. The windows and building are being painted white, making the structure of colonial design and appearance. This type of office front is very popular in Los Angeles and other western cities. And we hope it will be so in Grayling.

The new Holger (Dad) Hanson store building is finished and workmen are busy unpacking and setting up the furnishings. Mr. Hanson says that by some time next week it will be open for business. The building is of brick and concrete blocks and with tan shade of glass front. Modern fluorescent lamps will furnish the illumination. Every Post Office building. Those who enlisted are Chris King Jr., Douglas Girke, Norman Stephan, and John Seely. A physical examination was given each at the time they enlisted and in about a couple of weeks the group will leave for Detroit where they will receive another examination and then to training school on the Great Lakes.

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grades of the Men's and Women's Church Sunday sets. The picnic at Lake Margrethe the Wednesday of last week. Teachers, Mrs. Et. Giese and Miss Beverly Seward, assisted by Mrs. Harry Souders, had a very nice program planned for the children which included games and bathing.

The Weather

This week we have been having somewhat cooler weather with showers the first of the week. Traffic is heavy on the highways during the week end. Tourists are coming north to day visiting Miss Dorothy Miller in West Branch.

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Mrs. Cass Chamberlin and daughter Eileen Sue of Oxford, Mich., and Mrs. James Olson of Grand Blanc returned to their homes Wednesday after spending the past ten days visiting the ladies sister, Mrs. Earl Dawson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Dawson accompanied them as far as Saginaw.

Sunday and Monday nights

